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FOR:

A DRUM, IN PARTICULAR A DRUM FORMING A TURBOMACHINE ROTOR, A COMPRESSOR, AND A

TURBOSHAFT ENGINE INCLUDING SUCH A DRUM

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